Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 24 Sep 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 25 Sep 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 24 Sep 2024 at 02:21

Confidence: High for mostly dry, bright conditions on Tuesday, then for more changeable and often windy weather from later Wednesday until the weekend.

Headline for Tuesday 24 Sep 2024: Mainly dry with sunny spells. Fresh northwest winds on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 24 Sep 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

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Weather: A mostly dry and bright day across the Mourne Mountains will sunny spells. There may be an isolated light afternoon shower.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility with patches of cloud above about 700 to 800m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/24 NW	18/25 NW	22/32 NW	23/35 NW	21/31 NW	20/28 NW	15/22 NW
300	9/17 NW	13/20 NW	14/24 NW	15/27 NW	12/22 NW	13/22 NW	10/18 NW
Valley	7/16 NW	10/19 NW	12/23 NW	14/26 NW	10/21 NW	11/20 NW	9/17 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/2	7/2	8/4	8/4	6/2	5/-0	4/-0
300	9/6	10/7	12/9	11/8	9/6	7/4	6/3
Valley	10/8	11/9	13/11	13/10	10/8	8/5	7/4
Freezing Level*	1700m	1500m	1500m	1500m	1400m	1300m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Generally fine walking conditions in the Mourne Mountains but it will feel cold in the fresh wind on the tops.

Forecast for Wednesday 25 Sep 2024

Weather: Dry, bright morning, then becoming cloudy in the afternoon with rain extending northwards, accompanied by strengthening winds.

Maximum wind: Light easterly winds in morning, average speeds 10 to 15mph, increasing 20 to 30mph later in afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 80% reducing 30% later in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility in the morning with patches of cloud above about 700m and an increasing canopy of cloud, most above the tops. Visibility becoming poor as rain sets in with clouds becoming extensive down to around 600m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 1 Celsius rising to 11 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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